# CENTRAL FAX CENTER

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### **RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the final office action mailed June 22, 2006 as follows:

Remarks begin on page 2.

#### CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this RESPONSE is being sent via facsimile to 571-273-8300 on August 23, 2006.

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